

U.S. WILL HAVE LEFT NO BATTLE CRUISERS

Reduction Proposed Leaves
Country Without Ship of
Type Most Needed.

SINCERITY IS EVIDENT

Britain to Retain Place as
the World's Greatest
Naval Power.

WITH 60 FAST CRUISERS

Japan Would Continue Under
Present Sea Power, Keep-
ing Speedy Ships.

By GRASER SCHORNSTHEIMER.
Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

The proposals for the limitation of international armaments made this morning by Secretary Hughes were taken from the various plans submitted by the American navy's experts. The plan provides that the capital ship programme of the nations of the world be abandoned and it makes an estimate for the future strength.

Every nation demands adequate protection, and adequate protection is based upon what the other fellow has in the matter of war implements.

There can be no doubt of this. Our 1916 programme is our war programme. It was provided when the nation was at its low ebb of preparedness. This programme can be dispensed with under the plans as outlined this morning. And, as usual, America is leading the procession, for construction has practically been stopped on all of the fifteen capital ships of our 1916 programme. It is up to the other nations to follow suit.

Without Battle Cruisers.
From an American naval standpoint the terms are almost too fair. A reduction of armaments on these terms will leave the United States without a single battle cruiser—the tactical capital ship type most needed by our naval forces. Then, again, here is another proof of America's sincerity. We have practically stopped the construction of all the capital ships referred to in the plan. This fact must not be overlooked. It is of paramount importance. America's cards lie flatly face up upon the conference table. The limitation of armaments is entirely up to the foreign delegates.

To date our capital ships of the 1916 programme have cost about \$350,000,000. To scrap them it will cost approximately \$60,000,000, and so the United States must throw away about \$400,000,000 in order to save \$250,000,000. The fact that America is placing herself at both a monetary and a tactical disadvantage is no significant of her aims and desires that foreign nations cannot afford to overlook it.

Our existing fleet of ships will make up our future forces, in the event the conference is successful on this basis, minus the older and worn out types which have always cluttered up navies and hampered the efficiency of the whole forces.

England Remains First.
Should the plan be accepted England will maintain her place as the world's greatest naval power. Her main forces will consist of the few dreadnoughts of the Royal Sovereign class, displacing

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Tomorrow and Tuesday!

SALE
of 200 Luxurious
COATS
\$69 to \$249

"Copies" would cost elsewhere about \$138 to \$498

MAGNIFICENT models of the richest Marvella, Duveltyne, Duvet de Laine, Bolivia, Evers, Panvelaine and Superba. Collars and cuffs luxuriously trimmed with costly Squirrel, Lynx, Mole, Beaver, Caracul, Raccoon, or Persian Lamb. Beautifully silk-lined. Maxon at its best!

Big Sale of Dresses, too

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MODEL COWNS
11 E 36th St - Harland Building
Elevator Service

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FOURTEENTH STREET Established 1827 WEST OF FIFTH AVE

Topland Is Ready

From the land of the reindeer to our own Topland has come all the joy and fun that Santa Claus could pack into his new dolls, games and toys. Bring the children in now that they may not miss a day of happy anticipation of Christmas. Fourth Floor

Our New Departments

Will soon be finished. Busy workmen are laboring to complete them that you may shop for Christmas at the earliest moment. Phonographs and Records, Books, Cameras, Sporting Goods and Gift Shop. Well Known Hearn Values Will Prevail

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Because

Your needs build our business, we offer money-saving values so important that you will make it your business to shop here.

Following on Sale Both Monday and Tuesday

JUNIOR BOYS' CLOTHES

Money-Saving Specials

Junior Boys' Overcoats—all wool melton overcoatings—gray and brown mixtures, also light gray and Oxford chinchillas—full belted, button to neck modes—3 to 9 yrs.—value \$12.00	9.74
Other Junior Overcoats—	5.94 to 17.94
Junior Boys' Suits—middy and junior Norfolk styles—wool jerseys in brown and blue heather, also navy serges—Eton or sailor collars—sizes 3 to 9 years—	5.94
Junior Boys' Washable Suits—Oliver Twist, middie and Russian models—white, solid colors and stripes—2½ to 8 years—were \$2.94—	1.55
Junior Boys' Oliver Twist Suits—corduroy—square collars—finished with open cuffs—pearl buttons—sizes 3 to 8 years—were \$3.96—	2.15
Junior Boys' Oliver Twist Suits—corduroy—square collars—finished with open cuffs—pearl buttons—sizes 3 to 8 years—were \$3.96—	3.00
Boys' Shirts—neckband or collar attached—were \$1.43—	1.10
Boys' Blouses—fancy striped galatea—collar attached—8 to 15 years—	1.94
Boys' Rompers—navy and brown corduroy—round collars—sizes 2 to 6 years—Special—	1.35
Boys' Striped Percal Blouses—light and medium striped percale—white with collars attached—8 to 15 years—were .95—	.77

COTTON GOODS

There are many suggestions for Christmas gifts in our Cotton Goods sections at the most reasonable prices.

Mercerized Foulard Sateens—light and dark grounds—figures and dots—were .53—	.43
Colored Handkerchief Linens—36 inches wide—fine quality—Nile, blue, tan, heliotrope, lavender, orchid, coral, maize, etc.—elsewhere \$1.50—	1.07
Mercerized Shantungs—all wanted colors—were .67—	.43
Cotton Duvetyns—32 inches wide—all splendid colors—were .25—	.57
Yard-wide Percal—stripes and figures on white ground—were .25—	.18
Imported Gingham—32 inches wide—splendid assortment of plaids—were .75—	.48
Fancy Voiles—light, medium and dark grounds—dots, checks, scrolls and all-over designs—were .45—	.28
Novelty Dress Gingham—stripes, checks and plaids—were .30—	.17
Woven Dress Plaids—various color combinations for children's and misses' school dresses—were .25—	.18
Remnants of Dress Voiles—suitable for blouses, smocks, etc.—were .45 yd—	.19
Plain Colored Organdies—all desirable colors—suitable for dolls' dresses, collars and cuffs, etc.—were .55—	.25

FLANNELS AND BLANKETS

Domets—36-inch width—soft, downy nap—were .58—	.22
Unbleached Domets—36 inches wide—soft, downy nap—were .48—	.16
Table Felt—54 inches wide—were .78—	.63
Cotton Blankets—plaid, in a variety of colors—size 66x80—were \$4.67—	2.68
Wool Finish Blankets—white, gray, tan—with contrasting colored borders—full size—were \$5.96—	2.84
All Wool and Nearly All Wool Plaid Blankets—variety of colors—also white, with contrasting borders—¾ and full size—were \$15.94—	6.74

LINENS, TOWELS AND TOWELING

Niceties for table and household for Thanksgiving Day or holiday giving are excellent of qualities and low of prices for Monday and Tuesday selling.

Bleached Linen Damask Pattern Cloths and Napkins—	
Cloths size 70x70—were \$6.50—	4.54
Cloths size 70x88—were \$7.95—	5.74
Cloths size 70x116—were \$8.95—	5.90
Napkins size 22x22—were \$8.50—	5.95
Heavy Quality Bleached Linen Damasks—Special—	2.84
70-inch Bleached Mercerized Damasks—were .97 Yard—	.74
Hemstitched Linen Damask Sets—cloth—60x60—dozen napkins to match—were \$11.95—	8.94
Imported Damask Sets—hemstitched—cloth—58x72—1½ dozen napkins to match—were \$5.95—	3.84
Remnants of Linen and Cotton Damask Greatly Reduced	
Lunch Cloths—lace trimmed or hemstitched—were \$6.95—	4.50
Fine Quality Cotton Huck Towels—hemmed—red or blue striped borders—were .21—	.15
Bleached Turkish Towels—blue striped borders—were .28—	.19
All Linen Crash Towelings—red borders only—were .46—	.33
36-inch White Linens—for embroidery purposes—scarf, shams, etc.—were \$1.10—	.87
Mosaic Tea and Luncheon Napkins—Pure linen—were \$7.95—dozen	6.95

DRESSING SACQUES AND NEGLIGES

Lawn Dressing Sacques—white and colors—belted models—trimmed with lace and embroidery—were \$1.94 and \$2.94—	.97 and 1.37
Crope de Chine Negliges—with over jackets of georgette and lace—elaborate models—were \$21.94—	15.00
Satin and Taffeta Breakfast Coats—pretty dark shades—trimming of self frillings and silk fruit—were \$8.94—	6.48
Were \$10.50—	7.50

ART EMBROIDERY

Odd Lots of Instruction Books—for crocheting and knitting—also tatting and fillet, etc.—were .10—2 for .15—	.15
Stamped Night Gowns—fine quality. Value \$1.97 to \$2.47—	1.47
Stamped Lawn Dresses—size 4 years—were .74—	.37

Extra Size FLANNELETTE UNDERTHINGS

Extra Size Flannelette Nightgowns—pink and blue stripes—collar and cuffs trimmed with satin ribbon—were \$2.48—	1.97
Extra Size Flannelette Billiebirkes—pink with blue figures and stripes—were \$2.68—	2.28

WHITE GOODS

White Madras Shirts—32-inch—were .78 and .88—	.68
32-inch Oxford Cheviots—	.58
White Poplins—silk finish—were .60—	.48
White Nainsook—10-yard piece—36 inches wide—were \$2.28—	1.90

MORNING SPECIALS

On Sale Monday and Tuesday Until 1 P. M.

To prevent dealers buying quantities restricted. No Mail or Telephone Orders.

\$1.57 35-inch Black Taffetas—Soft and lustrous. SILKS—MAIN FLOOR.	1.08
\$1.64 Costume Serges—Brown, navy and black—64 inches wide—all wool—fine twill. DRESS GOODS—MAIN FLOOR.	1.24
57 ct. Silk Mixed Pongees—35 inches wide—all leading colors for lingerie, etc. WASH GOODS—BASEMENT.	.38
25 ct. Fancy Outing Flannels—Fleecy nap—for pajamas, night gowns, etc. for every member of the family. WASH GOODS—BASEMENT.	.12½
\$1.88 Long Cloths—36 inch-wide, 40-yard piece for underwear. WHITE GOODS—MAIN FLOOR.	1.31
78 ct. Bleached Damasks—84 inches wide—mercerized—close weave. LINENS—MAIN FLOOR.	.55
97 ct. Scarfs for Buffet or Dresser—Lace trimmed. DECORATIVE LINENS—MAIN FL.	.66
34 ct. Cotton Huck Towels—Soft finish—bleached—hemstitched—white damask borders. TOWELS—MAIN FLOOR.	.21
\$2.94 Eiderdown and Blanket Sacques—Plain colors—floral patterns—round collars—sizes 36 to 46. HOSIERY—SECOND FL.	2.48
\$1.24 Little Tots' Rompers—Colored—Peggy gingham and chambray—sizes to 6 years. INFANTS' DRESSES—SECOND FL.	.68
\$2.19 Men's Sweet-Or Overall—Plain blue or blue stripe—Union made—known from coast to coast—sizes 34 to 42—extra size 1½ additional. MEN'S WORK CLOTHES—BASET.	1.84
\$4.53 Silkline Comfortables—Attractive coverings—plain borders—well stitched—color filled—full size—Winter weight. COMFORTABLES—BASEMENT.	3.32
\$1.67 Sheets—81x93—no dressing—soft finish. SHEETS—BASEMENT.	1.16
\$1.98 Spreads—Crocheted—four designs. SPREADS—BASEMENT.	1.46
39 ct. Unbleached Muslins—54 inches wide—unbleached—heavy quality. HOSIERY—BASEMENT.	.21
74 ct. Brazeires—Good strong materials—various styles—reinforced under arm—extra size. BRASIERES—SECOND FLOOR.	.58
78 ct. Extra Size Petticoats—Flannelette—pink and blue stripes, or grey. WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR—SD FL.	.58
35 ct. Children's English Cotton Rib ¾ Hose—Black and cordovan—sizes to 9½. HOSIERY—MAIN FLOOR.	.18
\$1.25 Children's Kid Gloves—Fleece lined—very warm and well made—tan, brown—sizes 1 to 8 for children 2 to 14 years. GLOVES—MAIN FLOOR.	.92
49 ct. Embroidered Flouncings and Corset Coverings—15-inch—good patterns. WHITE EMBROIDERIES—MAIN FL.	.38
52 ct. Ribbons—White, black and colors—gael or hat bow widths—moires, stripes and satins. RIBBONS—MAIN FLOOR.	.38
\$1.97 Men's and Women's Umbrellas—Black American—fancy handles. UMBRELLAS—MAIN FLOOR.	1.66
\$14.95 Chests of Rogers 1881 A1 Silverware—Set of 8 each dinner knives, forks, table and tea spoons, sugar spoon and 1 butter knife—French grey and bright finish. SILVERWARE—MAIN FLOOR.	8.95
\$8.74 to \$10.50 Boys' Suits—All-wool chevots—gray, brown, tan, green and heather mixtures—some with yoke and inverted pleats—all the cloth suits have two pairs trousers—also corduroy in grey and brown colors—sizes 8 to 17 years. BOYS' CLOTHING—THIRD FLOOR.	7.45
\$1.45 and \$1.95 Boys' Hats—Cloth—large assortment of fine tweeds, fancies, etc.—also velvet hats in blue, brown and black—all sizes. BOYS' HATS—THIRD FLOOR.	1.24
\$3.25 Men's Fine Derby Hats—Fast black—up-to-the-minute in shapes—also fine soft felt hats in all new colors of the season—all sizes. MEN'S HATS—MAIN FLOOR.	2.50
\$2.50 Men's Silk Stripes—Good quality—colored silk stripes in neat patterns. Rustian cords, etc.—blue, heliotrope, tan, etc.—all sizes—large assortment. MEN'S FURNISHINGS—MAIN FL.	1.74
See to-day's World and American for start of Season Sales of Toweling and Cushions	

STATIONERY AND ALBUMS

Loose Leaf Photo Albums—walrus finish, gilt border—fifty leaves—were \$1.17—	.87
Box of Gilt Initial Stationery—were .25—	.17

TOILET NEEDS

Toilet indispensables and lovely articles for the dressing table are priced much below the usual for Monday and Tuesday.

Hot Water Bottles—Well made of serviceable red rubber—were \$1.54—	.84
Ivory Tint Jewel Boxes—seconds—velvet lined—were .54—	.64
Nickel Shaving Stands—with mirror, cup and brush—extra large extension mirror. Special—	5.96
Hair Receivers and Puff Boxes—were .54—Each	.54
Large Square Picture Frames—velvet back—extra heavy—value \$4.50—	2.12
Jewel Boxes—were .64—	.46
Buffers—large size—Value \$2.23—	1.46
Ivory Tint Military Brushes—solid backs—were \$4.46—	2.23
Misses' Hair Brushes—solid back—were \$1.96—	1.27
Jewel Boxes—velvet lined—were \$1.46—	.84
Ebonoid Military Brushes—were \$2.23—	1.74
Dull Ebony Combs—to match brushes—value .36—	.18
Mirrors—seconds—were \$2.23—	1.96
Combs—heavy dressing combs—coarse or coarse and fine—were .46—	.36
Powder Boxes and Hair Receivers—very heavy—were \$1.46—	1.18
American Movement Guaranteed Clocks—	2.23
Boriclor Tooth Paste—were .25 tube—incl. tax	.17
Forhan's Tooth Paste—	.36
Mulsified Coconut Oil Shampoo—incl. tax	.34

SPREADS, ETC.

Bed Spreads—single and ¾ size—hemmed—crocheted—were \$1.79—	1.22
¾ size—crocheted—hemmed or fringed—were \$2.69—	1.97
Full size—crocheted—hemmed or fringed—were \$3.98—	2.97
Satin finish Marseilles—assorted patterns—were \$4.49—	3.12
Full and extra size satin Marseilles—hemmed—were \$7.69—	4.97
Bleached Cheesecloth—36 ins. wide—fine quality—absorbent—were 8½¢—	5
Bed Tickings—full and ¾ size—assorted stripes—ready for filling—were \$2.95—	1.97

GLOVES

Women's Mocha and Cape Gloves—spear and embroidered backs—all colors and sizes—were \$2.25—	1.44
Children's Wool Gloves—black, white, gray, brown and blue—Special	.50
Women's Two-Clasp Fabric Gloves—fancy embroidered backs—black, white, brown, gray and beaver—were \$1.00—	.82

RIBBONS

Brocaded Sash Ribbons—white only—were .97—	.68
Ribbons—9 inches—moire with wide satin edge and plain satin—were .88—	.68
Moire and Satin-Stripe Ribbons—were .88—	.28

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' TRICOTINE DRESSES

19.73

Were \$29.73

New model with design of drop ball trimmings in black and jade. Novelty girdle of jade and black and jade vestee give a smart finish. Other models beaded or embroidered at this price also.

Women's Embroidered Jersey Dresses—embroidered panels, collar and cuffs—three attractive models in navy, taupe, reindeer, Flemish blue and henna—were \$22.73 and \$24.73— 14.73 |

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

Dotted and Figured Nets—36 inches wide—for blouses, gowns and millinery—black, brown, navy—were \$1.24—	.97
Linen Cluny Laces—machine made—various widths—	.39
Embroidered Flouncings—good selection of patterns—	.39

Our Cafeteria

is a great convenience to shoppers where time is limited. The food is home-cooked, delicious and reasonable. The appointments are dainty, attractive and time-saving.

LOCATED AT BASEMENT.

HEARN DRESSMAKING SCHOOL

Course of 6 lessons—4.00
Our clever, artistic teachers will quickly instruct you in the fashioning of pretty things to wear. Appointments for lessons may be made at your convenience.

HOSIERY

Men, women and children will find hosiery to their liking among these Monday and Tuesday specials.

Women's All-Silk Hose—full fashioned—black—were \$2.97—	2.57
Women's Glove-Silk Hose—plain and fancy—black and cordovan—were \$3.47—	2.61
Women's All-Silk Hose—full fashioned—black and cordovan—Special	2.35
Men's All-Silk Hose—full fashioned—slight imperfections—of \$1.97 and \$2.37 qualities—	.99
Men's Cashmere Hose—black, natural and dar Oxford—were .35—	.27
Women's Ribbed Silk and Wool Hose—dark popular mixtures—were \$2.97—	2.25
Women's Full Fashioned Fine Quality Heather Mixture Woo' Hose—slightly irregular—sizes to 10½—were \$1.35—	1.01
Men's Drop-Stitched Heather Mixture Wool Hose—were .75—	.57
Children's White Cashmere Hose—slightly irregular—sizes 6 to 9½—were .45—	.35
Children's Black Cashmere Hose—grey heel and toe—sizes to 10—were .65—	.47
Children's Brown Heather Wool Derby Rib Hose—sizes to 9½—were .75—	.57

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